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PATENT APPLICATION

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In re application of: Thomas A. Benson et al.

Application No.: 09/596,652 Group Art Unit: 2132 Confirmation No.:
Filing Date: 6/19/2000 Examiner: Grigory Gurshman
For: SYSTEM, METHOD AND ARTICLE OF MANUFACTURE FOR PROVIDING CRYPTOGRAPHY SERVICES UTILIZING A NETWORK

Commissioner for Patents
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that an extension of time under Rule 1.138(a), as specified below, be granted for responding to the Office Action of 08/25/2004 due 11/25/2004.

- One (1) month - \$ 120.00
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This Petition accompanies a response to said Office Action.

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Respectfully requested,



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